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Sir:

The applicant in the above-identified patent application hereby requests a partial refund of fees paid with respect to this application.

A Petition for Extension of Time fee was paid on November 15, 2004. On information and belief, Applicant asserts that the present application is entitled to Small Entity status. However on November 15, 2004, the Applicant paid the Extension of Time fee without the Small Entity discount. This payment was less than three months prior to the filing of this Request.

The fee paid totaled \$110.00, but should have been only \$55.00. The Applicant is entitled to a refund of part of the filing fee in the amount of \$55.00.

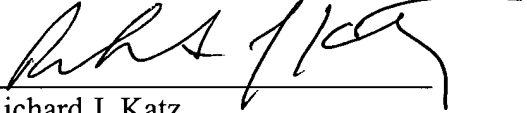
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For the foregoing reasons, it is respectfully requested that this Request for Small Entity Refund be granted. Please credit the refund to Deposit Account No. 04-0100 in the name of DARBY & DARBY P.C.

Respectfully submitted,

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